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COAL SHIPMENTS SHOW INCREASE

Lock No. 4 Report for January Indicates Slight Betterment Over December

LOCK CLOSED BRIEF PERIOD

Two Floods and One Accident Cause of Discontinuance of Navigation For 125 Hours—Down Stream Record is Good.

The best coal month since October, although not an especially good one at that, was realized in shipments at Lock No. 4 during January. Coal shipped down stream during that period amounted to 13,919,000 bushels. This was 567,000 bushels more than January of 1915, and more than a million bushels better than in December of 1913.

Bad weather interfered comparatively little with shipments of January of this year, and the river was not closed once by ice. Navigation was suspended 124 hours and 25 minutes of a total during the month, this being caused by two floods and an accident on the last day of the month at the lock in the sinking of a barge of coal. The rainfall was heavy, 4.11 inches.

The up stream record during the month follows: Lockage 563, steamers 283, empty crafts 1,208, other crafts 20, coal 2,000 bushels, sand 18,000 bushels, gravel 27,000 bushels, lumber 50,000 feet; railroad ties 9,000 feet, cement 260 ton.

The down-stream record was as follows: Lockages 546, steamers 289, loaded crafts 1,158, other crafts 11, coal 13,919,000 bushels, sand 3,000 bushels, gravel 11,000 bushels, cement 60 ton.

LAND PATENT ISSUED FOR COUNTY PROPERTY FILED

Governor Brumbaugh Signs Original Paper That is Entered in County Recorder's Office.

What is probably the first land patent issued by Governor Martin G. Brumbaugh has just been recorded in the recorder's office of Washington county. It is the original patent for a tract of land in this county. This farm is located in Jefferson and Independence townships and contains 116 acres, 40.4 perches and the allowance of 6 per cent for roads.

It was issued and signed by the governor on January 21, 1915, and countersigned by Henry Houck, secretary of internal affairs and is given to M. L. Buxton. The coal has been sold under this farm and as a patent had never been secured, it was necessary that one be issued. Patents for land in this state are generally issued at the time of the original survey when the land was taken up, but occasionally a tract is found for which there has never been a patent issued.

Russia has a woman aviator who has been sent to the front for active duty.

EVELYN NESBIT THAW

At the Palace Theatre tomorrow afternoon and night. 179t1

SPEED MADE BY JUDGE IRWIN WITH LICENSES

Twenty-Six Applications for Right to Sell Liquor Are Heard First Day

REMONSTRANCES ARE GENERAL

Twenty-six cases were disposed of in license court at Washington Monday, and the only sensational evidence offered was in the hearing of the application of Milo Davidson and Mrs. Carrie Kline, for a retail license at Marianna. Joe Morosky took the stand and said: "Why of course I get drunk lots of times and I always bought what I wanted in the Marianna bar. When I was drunk I purchased whiskey by the quart and took it to my home. Once when I was drunk and not able to travel Mr. Davidson helped me home. I have also borrowed money from Mr. Davidson with which to buy drink and at the present time I owe him $1.50."

Morosky was asked if he had seen any fights there and replied that he had been in one and got a good blow along side the head. He also stated that two weeks ago Mr. Davidson had refused to sell him any more liquor Morosky also testified that this week a man named Miller and Mike Butler had called upon him and that Miller had given him $2 stating that he might be able to get some beer. Morosky further said that Miller had offered him $2 if he would not go into court but would go someplace else.

Upon cross-examination Morosky was asked if he had not stated after being refused drink at the bar that he would do Davidson all the harm he could but he denied making any such statement.

Charleroi Applicants Heard

All the Charleroi license applicants were heard, and the remonstrances were all of a general nature, excepting in the case of the Independent Brewing company, where witnesses gave testimony detrimental to the concern in selling its product in the Beallsville vicinity. Rev. J. W. King told on the stand of examining cases of beer in the brewery truck at Beallsville, and finding many consigned to one man, and some not to any individuals. He made accusations that beer had been given to minors. The latter accusation was denied.

Two remonstrances were offered against Arthur Day of Charleroi, for Hotel Arthur. Witnesses had been subpoened to show the license was not necessary but they failed to show up and no testimony was given.

In the application of Georgianna Coles for Hotel Wilbur of Charleroi, two remonstrances were filed. The same conditions existed in the application of George F. Rylands who conducts Hotel Wellington in Charleroi.

Geo. M. Fellows who was refused a license for Hotel Myford in Charleroi last year, is again seeking the privilege. A big effort is being made to have this license re-established. It is set forth that it accommodates a class of people not accommodated in the other hotels of the town. Last year it was testified that the license was too close to the government postoffice. It was testified that the saloon was no detriment to the government business here.

Judge Irwin, in opening license court, stated that in a recent opinion he had tried to make it plain that general remonstrances, where conditions had not changed from last year.

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GROUNDHOG GETS GOOD GLIMPSE OF HIS SHADOW AT 11 O'CLOCK

Punxsutawney Weather Prophet Dodges Back for Six Weeks Sleep, According to Tradition.

The groundhog got a good glimpse of his shadow this morning if he remained out of his hole long enough. But he didn't view it until 11 o'clock, and that according to some spoiled the weather dope the groundhog was supposed to issue. The theory is that if the groundhog emerges from his hole and finds sun, he pops back in to remain six weeks, this six weeks to be featured by severe weather. If he fails to see his shadow, he remains out, and the weather will not be severe. Hence, by today's prediction the weather will be severe for six weeks longer.

Charles Chaplin, Coyle Theatre, Friday. 179-t3.

TABERNACLE UP; AWAIT EVANGELISTS' ARRIVAL

Union Evangelistic Services to Begin About February 15 or 16—Minges' Company Advance Agent to be on Ground Shortly.

PRAYER MEETINGS ARE ARRANGED

With the tabernacle on Fifth street and Fallowfield avenue about completed and other preliminary matters attended to, the arrival of the advance man for the union tabernacle meetings to be conducted here by Minges Evangelistic company in February and March is being eagerly awaited. The large chorus choir which is to be formed will begin rehearsals within a few days, and cottage prayer meetings will start on Thursday evening of this week. The campaign will probably start February 15 or 16.

There are seven in the Minges company, William John Minges, evangelist; G. Penbrook Rockwell, musical director; W. E. Bilyew, assistant evangelist; P. S. Wight, superintendent boy's work; H. J. Bray, superintendent personal work; Luella M. Minges, superintendent of women's meetings and Miss May Caster, instructor of converts. The company's record is 13,000 decisions to date.

The prayer meeting committee consisting of W. E. McFall, J. M. Evans and Charles Clerihue has arranged prayer meetings for two evenings this week, Thursday and Friday. Those on Thursday will be at the home of S. E. Wilson, 116 Falowfield avenue, W. E. McFall leader; at the home of Mrs. George Thompson, 927 Fallowfield avenue, Miss Letieia Morris leader; at the home of Harry Stech, Meadow avenue and Sixth street, Mrs. J. K. Mitchell leader; at the home of S. W. Sharpnack, North Charleroi, J. M. Whitlatch leader and at the home of Mrs. Blanche Jacobs, 503 Second street, D. N. Hall leader.

Friday evening prayer meetings will be at the home of H. H. May, 523 McKean avenue, T. J. Allen leader; at the home of Carl Corwin, 711 Crest avenue, Mrs. Rosa Reid leader; at the home of Howard Fields 217 Lookout avenue, W. H. Atkins leader; at the home of James Kearns, 103 McKean avenue, D. C. Whitlatch leader and at the home of A. A. Caseber, North Charleroi, Mrs. J. M. Whitlatch leader.

SPECULATION AS TO MARTIN'S SUCCESSOR

Democrats Are Wondering About The Chairmanship in This County

APPOINTMENT NOT APPROVED

Discussion is rife among the Washington county Democrats as to who will be the successor to the present county chairman of the Democratic party, Joseph W. Martin, if his recommendation as postmaster of Washington is passed upon by congress. Mr. Martin's recommendation has not as yet gone to the senate although it has been referred to the postoffice department and Congressman Palmer has signified his intentions to put the name before congress.

The members of the Democratic party cannot concede any member of the party who will take the position now held by Martin. The small number of Democrats will no doubt be greatly decreased from those who formed the party at the last election, and as the stronghold of that party seems to be in the river section, it is probable that a successor will be from that district. The members of the executive committee of the county party form a body of men out of whose ranks the successor will probably come, but which one may take the seat will be a stupendous question to solve.

The following men form the county executive committee: J. M. Ralston, J. M. Dickson, L. H. Ramsey, D. C. Vester and R. W. Knox, of Washington; J. C. Pipes, of South Franklin township; Jesse Brady, of West Bethlehem township; A. D. Hazen, of Hopewell; S. V. Kimberland, of Burgettstown; Henry Sheaff, of Canonsburg; E. H. Arrison, of Charleroi; Harrington, of West Brownsville; H. W. Scott, of Lock No. 4, and Curry, of Finleyville.

No recommendation has yet gone to the senate for approval, as it is said in Democratic circles that some question may be raised when the name is suggested. Developements within the past 10 days give reason to believe that Martin's name will be approved by the senate. J. T. Hemphill, the present Washington incumbent, continues to serve as postmaster. The fight for the Washington chairmanship will probably compromise matters as Martin will probably not resign until he is certain of serving the position of postmaster.

JUVENILE COURT BENEFIT TO BE GIVEN WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Program of Merit Arranged at the Coyle Theatre for Presentation at Matinee Performance.

The Juvenile court benefit at the Coyle theatre, as arranged by the local committee consisting of Mrs. A. W. Day and Miss Minnie B. Richardson, will be held Wednesday afternoon instead of Wednesday evening, as previously announced. A good program has been arranged for the occasion by Manager Coyle of the theatre. He will feature, "The Lost Receipt" and "She Was His Mother", the same pictures that will be featured at the Wednesday evening show. "The Lost Receipt" is a two reel Reliance film and "She Was His Mother" a three-reel Imp. The purpose of the benefit is to raise funds for properly carrying on juvenile court work in the community.

TRAINING SCHOOL TO BE STARTED SUNDAY

First Meeting to be Held at Christ Lutheran Church Here—Five Sessions in Charleroi and Five in Monessen Arranged.

VARIOUS LEADERS ARE ANNOUNCED

The first session of the training school for Sunday school workers, plans for which have been under way for several weeks, will be held next Sunday afternoon in Christ Lutheran church, Charleroi.

The school is the result of a joint effort made by the Sunday school workers of Charleroi and Monessen, and in order to give the enthusiasts of each town an equal chance, the term has been divided into two parts. The first five weeks' session will be held in Charleroi. The second five weeks meetings will be held in the M. E. church, Monessen. The school will meet at 3 p. m. each Sunday afternoon during the ten weeks.

The purpose of the school is to give practical training in the various departments of the modern Sunday school. The leaders are to be as follows:

Bible study—Rev. W. G. Mead of Charleroi and Rev. C. E. Keller, of Monessen.

Beginners and primary—Mrs. Goodloe Thomas, of Monessen.

Junior—Misses Frances Cooper and Katherine McGough, of Monongahela.

Secondary—Miss Rosetta Rodgers and O. M. Wise, of Charleroi.

Adult—Rev. C. P. Bastian, of Charleroi.

Superintendents and other officers, leaders to be announced.

Teacher training—Prof. H. H. Saylor, of Roscoe.

The training school is for all Sunday school workers who can reach either Charleroi or Monessen, and the establishment of such a course of training is a distinct mark of progress in the work. Trained teachers and superintendents are needed to make the Sunday school efficient and it is felt that the training school will supply the need.

QUEEN ESTHER SOCIETY TO BE ORGANIZED AT LOCAL CHURCH

A meeting will be held at the Methodist Episcopal church this evening at which time a Queen Esther Society will be formed. The society will be for young women sixteen years and older and will be an auxiliary to the Women's Home Missionary society of the church. Mrs. Davis of Pittsburg and Mrs. B. L. Roff of Monongahela will be here as organizers.

State Board Puts Up Bars.

The state live stock sanitary board has prohibited entrance into Pennsylvania of cattle, sheep or other ruminants from sections of Illinois how under Federal quarantine.

Charles Chaplin in "His Prehistoric Past," Friday, 2 reel Keystone. Coyle theatre. 178-t3 179-t3.

MONONGAHELA ON A RAMPAGE

River Passes Flood Stage at Early Hour Today and is Still Rising

LITTLE DAMAGE IS REPORTED

Coal Companies and Others Who Naturally Would Suffer Prepared—Water Gets Into Some Cellers—Pittsburg Steel Subway Flooded.

Flood stage in the Monongahela river was passed this morning early and at about 2 o'clock this afternoon the Monongahela river was at a stage of approximately 29 feet on the lower gauge at Lock No. 4. This is the highest water recorded at the lock in more than a year. It is believed that the river will even go to 30 feet before the rise stops.

No damage has been reported so far. The coal companies and others who naturally would suffer the most from the flood made preparations so that their loss would be small. In a number of places water has gotten into cellars. Some people have been flooded out. This applies only to the lowlands. At Monessen the subway of the Pittsburg Steel company was flooded this morning.

The highest stage of water preceding this was in November 1913. In December there was a stage of slightly more than 28 feet.

COKEBURG MEN SEEK LAND IN MICHIGAN

Ask Clerk of Courts About Filing Claim For Homestead Farms and Now Will Send Man to Learn About it—Were Farmers Abroad.

One Russian and three Austrians all of whom seemed to be the best of friends, appeared Friday at the office of Clerk of Courts William Lockhart at Washington and asked to file on Homestead land in Michigan. When questioned further it developed that they had been informed by a friend that there was plenty of government land in the state of Michigan where they could secure a free home. One of them had written to the general land office at Washington and had received a list of a large number of counties in Michigan in which there is still homestead land open to entry.

The land office for Michigan is located at Marquette, but applications may be made before any judge, or clerk of courts in any county in the state. These men thought that it meant that they could make entry in any court house in the United States. They were from Cokeburg and had walked the entire distance. They were informed that it would be necessary for them to go to Michigan to make entry and they decided that it would be better to send one man who could then see the quality of the land and if he reported favorable they would all go.

They stated that they had been farmers in the "old country" and they are anxious to secure free homes. They have taken out their first naturalization papers, and are eligible to make entry on a homestead claim of 160 acres or less.

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THE FOREIGNER AND FARMING

Last week three Austrians and one Russian—friends in spite of the war abroad—walked into the clerk of courts office at Washington and made known that they wanted to file claims for homestead land in Michigan. Before the clerk of courts and his assistants could recover from their astonishment the story was out. This was a free country, and the foreigners, who were from Cokeburg were desirous of acquiring free land. They knew it could be done, for a land agent connected with the government had told them so, they said. However, they were slightly mixed as to procedure.

Their case was investigated and the law explained. With the understanding that one of their number would be sent to Michigan to ascertain something of the value of the land, the quartet of embryo American farmers left. First though they explained that they had been farmers in Europe before coming to America, and believed farming here would be better than digging coal.

The story brings to mind an article published recently in a widely read publication, in which it is shown the foreigner with farm experience abroad, makes the best and most dependable farmer here. When he goes to work on a farm, he is a determined man with a technical education in how to make every inch of ground produce to its utmost. He has been taught how to prevent waste. Unlike his American cousin, he sticks firmly to his job and saves his means. Then usually just as he becomes most valuable to his landowner employer, he quits and buys or leases a farm of his own. He makes good.

It takes a man that some of us choose to know as a stranger to make good where we cannot. He works a farm as a science, which it is, a science that the native American, with his great desire for big things has seemingly not learned. It is a case of intense cultivation versus extensive cultivation, and the former wins out every time.

An American farm hand, says the farm expert is not a sticker. His energy too much is directed to getting into the city, where he obtains employment in mill or factory, or if he has the necessary education and qualifications, procures an office place as bookkeeper, or a clerkship. There he remains eking out a mere existance. Farm boys will not stay on the farm.

There are problems, monstrous problems, to be worked out before the back to the land movement may be seriously considered. Foreigners are stickers. Perhaps we can learn from them. In the present instance we may expect to see those Cokeburg embryos soon succeeding in Michigan, and in the next generation to behold their projeny riding comfortably in expensive limousines, envied by the bookkeepers and clerks who in youth wouldn't stay put.

GETTING ALONG SWIMMINGLY

Gov. Martin G. Brumbaugh and the Republican majority in both branches of the Pennsylvania legislature have been getting along swimmingly. The governor has wisely taken the legislative leaders into his confidence, familiarized them with his legislative plans and has secured from them sincere and earnest assurances of support for any constructive bills which he may have presented.

The absence of friction between the executive and legislative departments at Harrisburg has been disappointing to those who hoped for friction, but it has encouraged those who are responsible to the state for pledges given in the last campaign by the Republicans and has assured them all those pledges will be redeemed and that their party will be stronger after the session than it was when the legislature assembled.

Gov. Brumbaugh has not talked much about his purposes. He has a well defined policy outlined and he will adhere to it strictly, but he will not manage his administration through the newspapers. He is finding unbounded satisfaction with his cabinet members so far selected and he will be guided by them in all his official acts and utterances.

Gov. Brumbaugh's ambition is to give to the state an economical and dignified administration. He will do all in his power to secure all the legitimate legislation which he approved during his candidacy but his purpose to confine his efforts to the executive branch of the government. He has already been assured of help and support from the executive branch.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

The following bit of verse was handed in for the "Picked Up in Passing" column by C. B. Copeland who received it from his son, Will W. Copeland, who is now doing duty for Uncle Sam in the Philippines, being stationed at the marine barracks at Olongapo, as chief clerk to the pay master. It tells how a soldier boy feels on Thanksgiving away out in the orient. With the poem is also enclosed a post card picture taken during a baseball game he umpired, adding that it is there like it is in the big league. If you can't "come back" as a player you can still get a job as umpire. The poem follows:

We're many miles from home today,
beneath a tropic sky.
Back yonder there is snow and ice,
and home-made punkin pie.
Back yonder they are bringing out
last Winter's skating shoes—
The skating here is also good—on
Subic's Rio Booze.

The only ice we ever see is made to
cool our beer:
And as for snow, forget it! folks, it's
mighty far from here.
But still we have our turkey, just as
in the days of old.
Though, when the Turkey died for us,
is something we're not told.

The sleigh-bells' tingling music way
back yonder fills the air:
While here a million roosters join in
loud Thanksgiving prayer.
I'll bet that Paw wears ear-muffs
now—has chilblains on his toes.
Out here a simple gee-string is a
suit of evening clothes.

Oh, many a barn tonight holds many
a merry dancing throng.
With hosts of Girls—Real Girls, ye
Gods! to chase the hours along.
Out here's the Ballarinas! girls who
dance at so much per:
Small chance to whisper love-mush in
the ears of such as her!

We're asked to join in thanks today,
and reverently we stand
As one with those back home, for
God's been good to Our Dear Land.
The only thing that's lacking for to
make our thanks complete
Knowledge if this day next year,
we'll hike along Main Street.

We really aren't kicking where we
spend Thanksgiving Day.
Our Uncle Samuel says P. I. -and
Uncle's got the say!
But we hope that next November,
when Thanksgiving comes around
Upon the Old Folk's table's where our
dinner will be found.

Friday, Lois Weber in "False Colors", (Paramount) Coyle theatre.
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An effort is being made in Boston to unionize the waitresses of that city.

Electric Sparks

It is impossible to fill some vacancies. These vacancies apply to humans.

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An aching void is a place where there ought to be something and isn't.

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Girls walk out at factory—Headline. Henceforth, they will kindly take notice and run.

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As soon as we realize there is no more skating, the sooner we may anticipate the swimming season.

Fashion Note—Marathon runners are to be compelled to wear warmer clothing when the weather is colder.

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If the waist line keeps ascending woman will have to wear an extension bonnet on which to hang it.

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John M Graw has signed men of nearly all the most widely known nationalities, but being an Irishman he doesn't fear an international war, only a Federal war.

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High food prices are exciting Europe. They are exciting us, but we are beginning to get mad.

SPEED MADE BY JUDGE

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would be of no avail; but despite this opinion, remonstrances had been filed against some of the applicants, and they would be heard the same as if they were new applicants. However, when the question came up as to the character of the applicant who had been licensed before, Judge Irwin ruled that he would hear no testimony, as he relied upon the adjudication handed down by Judge McIlvaine in former years, setting forth that these men were fit persons to handle licenses. He advised the attorneys to get down to the bed rock of the cases, and not consume any more time than necessary.

Since last license court a new corporation has been formed in the Vandergrift Distilling company, located in East Bethlehem township. The character of the directors was gone into, but there were no charges nor remonstrances.

Charges of selling to an intemperate man were filed against William Coulson, asking for a renewal at Roscoe. Three remonstrances were filed against William Phennecie in Donora. The necessity of a license at the Stockdale hotel, Cornelius O'Shea, proprietor, was questioned, even one who had signed the petition for denying the necessity. Witnesses failed to bring out much of importance against James Provins, who is seeking a transfer of license from Mrs. Emma Theakston at the Hotel Atwood, at West Brownsville. The application of John T. Starr, at West Brownsville was attacked on the ground of necessity.

"As conditions exist today in Marianna the saloon is a menace instead of a necessity" said R. A. McKay, assistant mine foreman at the Pittsburg-Buffalo mines, in the Davidson and Klein hearing. This came near the conclusion of the hearings.

It is believed that the liquor hearings will be concluded today, and the granting of licenses will follow within a short time.

ONLY TWO MORE DAYS

Of the Big Factory Sale of Lester Pianos and Player Pianos.

We still have 5 or 6 pianos left unsold. But must be sold before Thursday February 5th, as our time is up in Charleroi. It will pay you to come and see our line of pianos before we leave. $100 less than regular price ($100.)

On every piano sold during this sale easy confidential payments can be arranged. Don't fail to call and see the finest line of pianos ever exhibited in Charleroi.

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GRAND JURY CONVENES; TRUE BILLS RETURNED

Charleroi Young Man Must Undergo Court Trial on Robbery Charges—Two Homicide Indictments.

W. J. Smith, of East Washington, former county commissioner, was appointed foreman of the February grand jury, which was convened Monday afternoon. Only 16 out of the 24 jurors summoned were present. Judge M. Ilvaine delivered the usual charge as to their duties as grand jurors, the disposition of cases, finding true bills and ignoring bills; also, as to the hearing of road and bridge petitions.

True bills were found in the cases against James Shields, William Silence, Frank Rafferty, Kenneth Matson, of Charleroi, assault and battery and highway robbery. Albert Sarrafin is the prosecutor.

Two indictments were returned in homicide cases. Mercurio Pati, held for killing John Deluca, in Tylersdale, two weeks ago, was held for trial and also Frank Vedros, charged with beating to death Joe Babish, at Coon Island.

EVELYN NESBIT THAW AND SON AT PALACE THEATRE

On Wednesday, both in the afternoon and evening, the attraction at the Palace theatre will be a five-part picture of love, romance and adventure. Not only is the story of the picture one of the best and most interesting ever shown but the company enacting the story is also an attraction. In the leading role will be the famous actress and well known woman, Evelyn Nesbit Thaw. Her small son Russel will also appear in the picture.

ACTIVITY IN COKE REGIONS PRESAGES BIG DEVELOPMENT

From recent activity in the Fayette county coke fields it is expected that soon the H. C. Frick Coke company will be operating to 80 per cent capacity. The latest order for lighting ovens brings the total number up to 2,500 lighted in a week.

GOSPEL MISSION SERVICES INCREASING IN INTEREST

Services at the gospel mission being conducted in the former Palace theatre building on McKean avenue are increasing in interest. Monday night Rev. C. H. Miller, of Uniontown preached, and three responded to his invitation and appeal. Rev. Miller will preach tonight. The meetings are for the public.

HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM DROWNING IN PIKE RUN

Louis A. Sneed, of Belle Vernon, Has Terrifying Experience—Loses Valuable Horse.

Louis A. Sneed, of Belle Vernon, had a narrow escape from death Monday evening in the swollen waters Monday evening in the swollen waters slipped over a bank, taking team, wagon and all. One horse was drowned and Mr. Sneed was rescued after he had almost given up hope of getting out alive.

HUNDREDS OF WOMEN

nowadays are entering the professions or business world and go to work day after day in bad health, often dragging one foot wearily after the other, working with one eye on the clock, and wishing for closing time to come.

Women in this condition should take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs. It has brought health and happiness to more women in America than any other remedy. Give it a trial. Adv.

Races at Monongahela.

From present indications it looks very much as though Monongahela is once more to enjoy good horse races and possibly the old time fair. A. T. McAllister has leased, through the F. F. Pierce agency, the Monongahela Driving Park. It is his intention to make extensive improvements to the buildings. The race track will be put in good condition so that as soon as the season opens up it may be used for training purposes.

Deer Liberated Near Connellsville

Ten deer, two bucks and eight does have been liberated in the mountains four miles east of Connellsville, along the Springfield pike. Fifteen others for stocking the Indian Creek valley are expected in a few days from the state.

Return engagement, March 1, "Tillies Punctured Romance," Coyle Theatre.
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Worry Kills More Men Than Fever

The workman who is continually worried over financial difficulties is carrying a double burden—he's worse than the man with walking typhoid fever. Horace Fletcher says "Worry is a sneak thief." It constantly steals the man's strength of mind and body. Eliminate the worry habit by starting a savings account with this bank, add a small percentage of your salary each pay day—it will care for those financial difficulties that come to the family from sickness and other misfotune.

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HOW TO MAKE THE CHEAPEST AND BEST COUGH REMEDY AT HOME

Most persons neglect a cough or cold for the principal reason that they either don't think it serious enough to go to a doctor, or don't know what good medicine to buy at a drug store, with the result that the cough or cold becomes deep-seated through this neglect and hangs on the whole winter - which might have otherwise been speedily cured, had Schiffmann's Concentrated Expectorant been used promptly.

This new remedy is so strongly concentrated that two ounces (50 cents' worth) make a full pint (16 ozs.) of excellent cough medicine, by simply mixing it at home with one pint of granulated sugar and ½ pint of water. It makes a whole family supply, as much as would ordinarily cost from $2.00 to $3.00 for the same quantity of the old, ordinary, ready-made kinds of doubtful merit. It is prepared from strictly harmless plants and is so pleasant that children like to take it and it can be given them with perfect safety as it positively contains no chloroform, opium, morphine, or other narcotics, as do most cough mixtures. It is altogether different from any other cough remedy. No risk whatever is run in buying this remedy as the druggist named below will refund money if it does not give perfect satisfaction or is not found the very best remedy you have ever used for stubborn Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Croup, Whooping Cough and Hoarseness. In fact any druggist will sell this new remedy under the same guarantee. If your druggist will not keep it for you, order direct of R. J. Schiffmann, St. Paul, Minn. Guaranteed here by

PIPERS' PHARMACY

NORTH CHARLEROI COUNCIL FAILS TO MEET; NO QUORUM

The North Charleroi council failed to hold its regular monthly meeting Monday night at the scheduled time, owing to the lack of a quorum. A meeting probably will be held in the near future.

Choral Club to Meet.

The Charleroi Club society is to hold its weekly meeting tonight at the high school auditorium, and rehearsal will be continued under direction of Prof. I. T. Daniel.

"Dainty Maids" Stranded.

The "Dainty Maids" burlesque company is stranded in Monessen after Friday and Saturday night shows. Members of the company are unable to get money enough to leave.

Filling Big Contract.

The Warren Chemical Products company has started work on a $500,000 contract to supply gun cotton to England and Russia.

Jackson's Victory Over Indians.

One hundred years ago the desultory warfare which Gen. Andrew Jackson had waged against the Creek Indians for some months culminated in the battle of Oakfuskas. The battle continued for three days, and was conducted with much ferocity on both sides. Two hundred of the Indians were slain, while of General Jackson's force 18 were killed and 70 wounded. The victory was particularly gratifying to General Jackson. During the winter his troops had been poorly provisioned and as a result much dissatisfaction began to manifest itself. Many of the soldiers had deserted and returned to their homes in Tennessee. Those who were left, half-starved, began to threaten mutiny, and it required General Jackson's greatest efforts to keep the insubordinates down. The battle of Oakfuskas revived the spirits of the army and contributed in no small degree to the winning of the decisive battle that was soon to be fought at Horseshoe Bend.

Horse Is Still King.

"When it became a recognized fact that the automobile was a practical thing, the prediction was freely made that the horse would pass away, but we find today that there are more horses in the United States than ever before," remarked Alfred Watkins, an old sea captain of Norfolk, at the Raleigh.

"It is true, we rarely see horses on the streets of our big cities, but there are plenty of them in the country, and the farmer thinks just as much of a good horse now as he did in the old days. So, too, I have observed that our men of wealth, who for a time took to the motor car, are coming back to the fast trotter and roadster. There is nothing like real life when it comes to sport, and an automobile is an inanimate thing."—Washington Post.

When the Shoe Pinched.

She was a British militant suffragist who, after an eight months' absence, turned up in a state of indignation against the British postoffice. The postmaster general, she complained, had been abstracting suffragettes' correspondence from the post. Some of them hadn't received their notices duly. "Abominable!" The complainant had just "done time" in prison for setting fire to letter boxes and destroying other people's correspondence!—Chicago News.

The Spring Number OF THE FASHION BOOK

Illustrating the Celebrated
Pictorial Review Patterns
NOW ON SALE

Resplendent in illustrations, many in color, and filled to overflowing with the very newest and best style ideas for 1915, comes THE FASHION BOOK for Spring—a veritable treasure chest of suggestions for the woman who wants to be well-dressed.

MARCH PATTERNS
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How to Fight Tuberculosis

In a paper read last year before the Bexar County Medical Society and published in part in the Louisville "Medical Progress," Dr. J. W. Eichart, of San Antonio, Texas, a physician who has devoted much time to the study of tuberculosis, said: "Since lime salts constitute three-fourths of all the mineral substances of the human body, they must be supplied in the foods or supplemented in mineral preparations, or natural starvation ensues with tuberculosis unchecked. The widespread and unchecked spread of tuberculosis and other preventable diseases is due largely to the deficient (lime lacking) conditions of multitudes throughout the civilized world."

Thus from another authoritative medical source comes justification for the use of Lime in the treatment of tuberculosis.

Since this is one of the ingredients of Eckman's Alterative, much of the success attending the widespread use of this remedy doubtless is due to the combination of this salt in such a way as to render it easily assimilable. It causes no stomach disturbance, and since it contains neither opiates, narcotics nor habit-forming drugs, it is safe to use.

Eckman's Alterative has effected remarkable results in numerous cases of pulmonary tuberculosis and other chronic affections of the throat and bronchial passages. In many instances such conditions, apparently, have yielded completely to it.

If your local druggist is out of it, don't let him order it or send direct to us.

Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia
Piper's Pharmacy

Yes—We Have It

And we honestly believe that
Rexall "93" Hair Tonic
is the best hair tonic on the market—50c a bottle. Sold only by us.
Carroll's Drug Store.

Ready Help

in time of physical trouble caused by indigestion, biliousness resulting from torpid liver, inactive bowels, is always given, quickly, certainly, safely by the most famous of family remedies

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World.
Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

SALE PRICES Continue To Attract

Heavy Reductions of Stock Taking Sale brought many customers ---the great bargain event will be continued a few more days to allow all full time to save on quality merchandise. Ladies' buy your suits now.

A LADIES' SUIT FOR $5.00

Your choice of 30 or more all wool suits, high grade tailoring---many good styles---most of them worth $20.00 and 25.00, some worth 30.00. The women of Charleroi were never offered such bargains before at $5.00

$12.50, 15.00, 18.00 and 20.00 Suits, (newest models) at **$9.50**

$25.00 and 27.50 Suits, the newest fall styles go for **$12.50**

Our best Suits $30.00 and 35.00 values for **$15.00**

An Early Selection Gives You Your Choice

BERRYMAN'S LIVE STORE

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CHARLEROI SAVINGS AND TRUST Co., of Fifth street, Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, at the close of business January 25th, 1915.

RESOURCES.

Reserve Fund:		
Cash, specie and notes	$23,119 59	
Due from approved reserve agents	30,007 73	53,127 32
Nickels and cents		542 23
Checks and cash items		2,071 90
Securities pledged for special deposits		2,040 00
Assets held free, viz:		
Commercial paper purchased upon one name	$ 19,746 48	
Commercial paper purchased upon two or more names	$138,454 58	158,201 06
Loans upon call with collateral		121,922 25
Time loans with collateral		19,157 00
Loans secured by bonds and mortgages		3,442 00
Loans without collateral		40,926 52
Bonds, stocks, etc		65,567 75
Mortgages and judgments of record		142,870 87
Office Building and Lot		45,831 76
Other real estate		31,598 38
Furniture and fixtures		12,253 81
Total		$ 690,522 74

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000 00
Surplus Funds	40,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	19,169 72
Individual deposits subject to check [exclusive of trust funds and savings]	121,098 56
Time certificates of deposit [Exclusive of trust funds and savings]	81,485 94
Deposits, saving fund, [exclusive of Trust]	281,135 42
Deposits, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania	15,000 00
Deposits, U. S. Postal Savings	1,560 28
Deposits Municipal	18,705 77
Dividends unpaid	120 00
Treasurer's and Certified Checks outstanding	3,515 02
Total	$ 690,522 74
Amount of trust funds invested	$ 212,481 06
Amount of trust funds uninvested	8,889 88
Total Trust funds	$ 221,370 94

CORPORATE TRUSTS

Total amount (i. e. face value) of Trusts under deeds of trust or mortgages executed by Corporations to the Company as Trustee to secure issues of corporate bonds, including Equipment Trusts . . . . . $ 300,000 00

State of Pennsylvania, County of Washington, ss.:

I, E. W. Hastings, Treasurer of the above named Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) E. W. HASTINGS, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of January 1915.

(Signed) GEO. W. RISBECK, Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 21, 1915

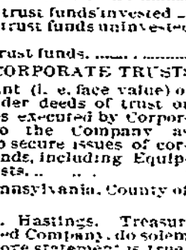
Correct—Attest:

(Signed) DAVID M. McCLOSKEY,
TOM P. SLOAN,
R. C. MOUNTSER
Directors.

Now watch everybody accuse the other of avoiding a Hague conference.

MONEY TO LOAN AT LOWEST RATES

JEWELRY DIAMONDS



WATCHES AND ALL VALUABLES

I. BIRKEN

Your Friend in Time of Need
SEE ME
620 McKean Avenue, Charleroi

Margaret Clark, in "The Crucible", Coyle Theatre tonight. (Paramount)

WAR BULLETINS

London, Feb. 2—London people were terrorized by reports of a Zeppelin aerial raid or a submarine raid, or both yesterday. Lights were ordered out early in the evening. Reports from Dover were that fire had been directed at German submarines.

Rome, Feb. 2—Bread riots, protests against the prevailing high prices, continue to be held in several provincial towns.

Berne, Switzerland, Feb. 2—Germans have commandeered copper, tin, nickle, antimony, aluminum and hard lead throughout German provinces.

Berlin, Feb. 2—Rumania is to furnish Germany with a large supply of grain, according to late arrangements.

Berlin, Feb. 2—Reports are that the French torpedo boat 219 has been sunk off Nieuport, Belgium.

Berlin, Feb. 2—An increase in the price of beer is looked for, brewers declaring this necessary because of high labor cost.

London, Feb. 2—Confused fighting continues in the Carpathians, with doubtful results.

London, Feb. 2—Dispatches give little light as to possible victories anywhere, and in no sense are enlightening as to the actual progress of the war.

Amsterdam, Feb. 2—In a dispatch from Berlin, Admiral von Tirpitz, chief of the German navy, is quoted as having said that the submarine raids of Germany have just begun and that it is intended to cut off Great Britain from supplies coming from abroad by a numerous flotilla of submarines of the latest type.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hamilton of Youngstown have returned home after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carson of First street.

W. H. Milliken spent Tuesday in Brownsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lowstuter of Monessen are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lowstuter.

Mrs. C. E. Thompson of Fifth street spent Tuesday in Pittsburg.

H. J. Booth will leave this evening on a trip to Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Fred Carson has gone to Youngstown where she will visit with relatives.

K. W. Daly was in Pittsburg and Washington Tuesday.

Chief of Police C. W. Albright is some improved from his recent illness, but is yet unable to be out attending to his regular duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rodgers were over Sunday visitors with friends and relatives of Fitzhenry, in Greene county.

FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY WILL MEET

Miss Della Halstead will be the hostess of the Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church at her home at 855 Fallowfield avenue Wednesday afternoon.

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS TO ENTERTAIN JUNIORS

This evening at the high school gymnasium members of the Senior class will be the hosts of the Juniors at a reception and party. Elaborate preparations are being made for the affair.

NEW COMMISSION IS UNDER ATTACK

Some Want the Public Service Body Wiped Out.

OPPOSITION TO THE MEMBERS

It Looks as If Present Legislature Will Be Featured by the Movement to Abolish Commission Created Two Years Ago.

Harrisburg, Feb. 2.—Judging from indications at this early period of the meeting of the legislature, it would not be surprising if the big issue to be fought out in Harrisburg will be the future of the public service commission created two years ago. In point of interest it may overshadow even workmen's compensation, child labor laws and local option.

There is a strong agitation on to abolish the commission altogether. Others want its jurisdiction curbed almost to a degree that would make it no more powerful than the late railroad commission, which was supplanted by the public service body. Then there are others who desire the law to stand without a single change, but to make a number of changes in the personnel of the commission.

In connection with the abolishment of the railroad commission and the creation of the public service commission it is interesting to note that the two men on the latter body who were members of the former, Messrs. Pennypacker and Brecht, are not being subjected to any criticism to speak of. Here and there a word of opposition is heard against ex-Governor Pennypacker, but usually it comes from a prejudiced source and is not taken seriously. As for Mr. Brecht, everybody appears to concede his fitness and general qualifications for the position he holds.

The chief complaint against a majority of the members of the public service commission is the feeling that they are not entirely divorced from corporation influences, that the vested interests and not the people's interests are being conserved in nearly all the rulings. This is absolutely denied by friends of the commissioners, and decisions are being pointed to wherein corporations have been hit hard in order that the public might benefit.

Before leaving office Governor Tener sent to the senate the names of the entire public service board, together with that of Walter Gaither as the successor of the late Judge Ewing. Up to the present the senate has taken no action upon the names. This session an executive nomination committee was created by the senate for the purpose of considering all nominations sent in by the governor. The fate of the public service commissioners rests with these men. This committee is composed of the following: Crow, chairman; Vare and McNichol, of Philadelphia; Sproul, Chester; Catlin, Luzerne; Snyder, Schuylkill, and Kline, Allegheny.

Before the legislature opened it looked as if the only member of the public service body who might encounty serious opposition in the senate would be Gaither. Now his chances seems as bright as any of the others, excepting Brecht and Pennypacker. Enemies of Gaither made the mistake of attacking him on qualification grounds, laying much stress upon the statement that he is nothing more than a newspaper man. This has rallied to his side unexpected support from newspaper men, who feel that a man trained in journalistic pursuits is just as capable of sitting on a public board as a lawyer, a teacher, a banker or a corporation agent.

"I Don't Feel Good"

That is what a lot of people tell us. Usually their bowels only need cleansing.

Rexall Orderlies

will do the trick and make you feel fine. We know this positively. Take one tonight. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

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MOVE THE RAFTERS! THIS CENTER IS 6 FEET 5 TALL

Man Near the Height of Goliath Coming With Crafton Team Wednesday to Play Against Charleroi.

Goliath will come with the Crafton basketball team tomorrow night, when it makes its appearance in Charleroi. That is, a man with the heighth of a Goliath will be in the group to jump—beg pardon—to reach center. His name is Warner, and his heighth is 6 feet 5 inches in his stocking feet. At least that is his press dope heighth.

Where Goliath Warner came from or how he ever happened to be signed by Crafton to knock the beams off the basketball halls in the West Penn circuit, is another story. He is said to be rather slight of build, but regular chain lightning when he flashes down the floor. He will be opposed by Abe Kerfoot, the big Charleroi center from Uniontown.

The averages of the West Penn league players for the season show Irwin of Charleroi third in the list with 57 field foals in 17 games. Baker is given second place. The leader, who however has played in but one game is Davis. Stark is well up in the list of basket shooters, and Brickley has a good record. Allie Brown is above many of the guards. In fact every member of the Charleroi team is well up in the list. In foul shooting Stark is fourth and Brickley is fifth.

CHARLES A. AMBLER,
Speaker of the House.

Representative Ambler was born in Montgomery county, and has resided there all his life. Was postmaster of Abington from 1897 to 1907. Is now serving his sixth term in the house.

PART OF NEW MONESSEN SCHOOL IS PUT IN USE

Fine Educational Institution at Neighboring Town to Cost $170,000—May be Completed by April.

While no public notice was taken of the occasion Monday was a milestone event in the history of the Monessen public schools, for the second floor of the new $170,000 high school building was occupied by the high school. Examinations were held last week for the mid-term and 35 to 40 pupils will be promoted into the high school. This will increase the number of high school pupils to 155 or 160, more than can well be accommodated in the old quarters. Only seven or eight of the 21 class rooms in the big building will be occupied at present. It is hoped to have the building entirely completed by April 1, when the entire 45 rooms may be occupied for the balance of the school year.

ENTERTAINS MEMBERS OF THE BARACA CLASS

Rev. W. G. Carl Host of Young Men of First Baptist Sunday School at Monday Meeting.

Rev. W. G. Carl, pastor of the First Baptist church, entertained the members of the Baraca Class of the First Baptist Sunday school at his home on Meadow avenue and Seventh street Monday evening. After a business meeting a social time was spent by the young men of the class, the affair partaking to some extent of the nature of a birthday party, the birthdays of four members occurring in February. Luncheon was served. E. Cummins is the president of the class and Rev. Carl is the teacher.

Fire Department to Elect

The Charleroi fire department will elect officers for the ensuing year at a meeting to be held tonight in their fire quarters.

CLASSIFIED!

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Inquire 460 Mail office. 169tfp

FOR SALE—Howard piano, used four months. Price $140. Inquire 462 Mail. 175-t6p

WANTED—Young lady for music department, must be a good piano player. J. G. McCrory Co., 5 and 10 cent store. 178-t3p

FOR SALE—4 room house, 1-4 acre, good well, Speers Hill. Price right. C. K. Chalfant, Speers, Pa. 178-t3p

FOR RENT—3 rooms, bath and laundry. Inquire 619 Fallowfield avenue. 179t3

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping, 326 Washington avenue. 179t3

PROPOSED LAWS HAVE VARIETY

Every Sort of Act Presented to Legislature.

PENSION BILL IS INTRODUCED

Eight Dollars a Month Asked For Emergency Men—To Regulate Boxing Matches—Other Matters Dealt With Are Anti-Liquor, a New County, Etc., Etc.

Harrisburg, Feb. 2.—A bill to provide pensions for emergency men of the Civil War has been introduced in the senate by Senator Martin, of Cumberland county. The measure creates the office of pension commissioner at a salary of $3000 a year, with assistants and clerks, and would give every emergency man a pension of $8 a month from the state treasury.

Representative Perry, of Philadelphia, is sponsor for a bill to regulate boxing matches and prize fighting in Pennsylvania. His proposed act would create a commission, with full power over all such exhibitions. Five per cent of the gross receipts of each fight would go to the state treasury. If the bill becomes a law every fighting club will have to take out a license. The bouts are to be limited to ten rounds and the gloves cannot be less than eight ounces in weight. Severe penalties are provided in the bill for conducting fake bouts.

Senator Hilton, of McKean, again has a bill in to make railroads liable for all loss by fire originating upon the land or right of way belonging to such railroad. The act is specially directed against destruction to property caused by sparks from locomotives.

The sum of $200,000 is asked for the maintenance of the state's soldiers' orphan schools, according to a bill introduced in the senate by Senator Martin, of Cumberland.

Senator Sensenich is behind a bill to prohibit bottlers and brewers from selling to householders and would also make it unlawful to sell to clubs or corporations not licensed to sell liquor at retail. The measure is directed against wholesale distribution of liquor to dry communities and also to speakeasies in places that already have licensed saloons.

For the twelfth time the bill to carve a new county out of lower Luzerne and upper Schuylkill has been introduced in the legislature. Representative Adams, of Hazleton, is in charge of the legislation this session. In order to help along the bill and get it through the legislature, Mr. Adams announces that if the new county is formed it will be named "Penrose county."

The equal suffrage amendment resolution is now in the legislature. It will be passed without difficulty, according to the sentiment expressed by leading Republican and Democratic members. If the resolution goes through this session the people will vote on it at the election next November.

Representative Cromer, of Allegheny, has introduced a bill to give school boards the power to pension janitors. Under existing laws any school district may create a pension system for teachers, and it is Cromer's idea that this privilege should be extended so as to include janitors.

Representative Hess, of Lancaster, has put in a bill to appropriate $555,000 to meet the expenses of eradicating the foot and mouth disease in Pennsylvania. This represents the state's share of the cost, the federal government contributing a similar amount.

CHARLES H. KLINE.
President Pro Tem. of Senate.

Senator Kline is a native of Indiana county and a resident of Pittsburgh, where he practices law. He was a member of the house in 1905 and 1906, was elected to the senate in 1906, re-elected in November, 1910, and again in 1914.

Local Policemen at Washington.

Gus Brickner and James Murphy, of the Charleroi police force were at Washington as witnesses in Charleroi court cases Monday.

Delicate Children
usually only need a food tonic to make them strong and healthy
Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion
containing Hypophosphites
is not only the best food tonic but is pleasant to take. Sold only by us.
Carroll's Drug Store.

ORDINANCE.

An ordinance authorizing and directing the Borough of Dunlevy, Washington county, Pennsylvania, to enter into and execute an agreement with the West Penn Electric company for lighting the streets and alleys of the Borough of Dunlevy with electric light.

Section I. Be it ordained and enacted by the Borough of Dunlevy in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the said Borough enter into and execute an agreement with The West Penn Electric company in form set forth in Section II of this Ordinance providing for the lighting of the streets of the said Borough.

Section II. This agreement made and entered into this 19th day of January, A. D. 1915, by and between The West Penn Electric Company, hereinafter called the "Company," party of the first part and the Borough of Dunlevy, Washington County, Pennsylvania, hereinafter called the "Borough," party of the second part.

Witnesseth, that in consideration of the payments, covenants, and agreements hereinafter contained, to be paid, kept and performed, it is mutually agreed between the parties hereto, their successors and assigns, as follows:

Paragraph 1. The Company shall furnish to the Borough.

.... Four Hundred (400) candlepower
.... Two-hundred-fifty (250) candlepower.
.... One hundred (100) candlepower
.... Eighty (80) candlepower
12 Sixty (60) candlepower
.... Forty (40) candlepower

tungsten lamps, or lamps of equivalent illuminating power, and cause all of said lamps to burn continuously every night from dusk until dawn during the term of this agreement, except in the case of unavoidable accidents or causes beyond its control.

Paragraph 2. The Company shall furnish such additional lamps on the streets or highways within the present limits of said Borough during the term of this agreement as the Borough may from time to time direct and will cause the same to burn as provided for in paragraph 1 of this contract, provided that the Company shall not be required to install any additional lamps within six (6) months preceding the expiration of this contract, or any renewal thereof, and shall not be required to extend its lines more than Two Hundred and Fifty (250) feet for each additional lamp so furnished.

Paragraph 3. The Company shall at its own cost and expense erect and maintain such arc so many poles, wires, and fixtures as may be reasonably necessary to furnish the lights herein specified and will at its own cost, make any change in location of lamps furnished under the terms of this agreement, which does not require any extension of the lines of the company, or the erection of new poles; provided, however, that if the Company shall be required to make more than one such change in location of lamps, the cost and expense thereof shall be paid by the Borough, such payment to be made at option of said Company.

Paragraph 4. The Company shall replace and repair the pavements and sidewalks of the streets and alleys traversed by its lines at all places where it shall erect and maintain poles, wires and other appliances, in as good condition as such pavements and sidewalks of the streets and alleys were in before the disturbance of the same by the said company.

Paragraph 5. The Company shall indemnify and save the Borough harmless from all losses, suits, damages, costs, or expenses in any way arising from the negligent construction or maintenance of the poles, lamps, lines, or other appliances.

Paragraph 6. The Company shall properly keep said lamps clean and make such renewals as are necessary to maintain the specified amount of illumination.

Paragraph 7. The Borough shall use the lights hereinbefore specified, including additional lamps installed and shall make payment therfor to the Company according to the following yearly rate for each lamp furnished:

$55.00 per Four hundred (400) candle power lamp.

$40.00 per Two hundred-fifty (250) candle power lamp.

$30.00 per One hundred (100) candle power lamp.

$25.00 per Eighty (80) candle power lamp.

$21.00 per Sixty (60) candle power lamp.

$16.00 per Forty (40) candle power lamp.

The Borough shall have the right to make from such payments, for each night any and all lamps shall not be lighted, the following deductions:

15 cents for each 100 candle power lamp.
12 cents for each 250 candle power lamp.
10 cents for each 100 candle power lamp.
7 cents for each 80 candle power lamp.
5 cents for each 60 candle power lamp.
4 cents for each 40 candle power lamp.

provided that the Borough by its proper agent notifies the Company in writing at its office in said Borough of any and all outages, and location of the same, for which deduction is made, not later than 12.00 o'clock noon on the day following the night upon which the outage occurred and no deduction shall be made for any outage of any lamp not so reported.

Payments to be made in equal monthly installments on or before the fifteenth day of each month for the preceeding month's service rendered.

Paragraph 8. The lamps will be placed at locations to be designated by the Light Committee, the Borough to pay the cost of changing the location of any of the lamps it may order changed during the term of this contract, where such change will necessitate the extension of lines or the location of new poles.

Paragraph 9. The Company shall furnish annually without charge to the Borough, during the term of this agreement 150 kilowatt hours for the purpose of lighting its municipal building. And the Borough, for all current by it used in excess of the above amount, shall pay to the Company the sum of Four and One-half (4 1-2c) cents net per kilowatt hour; the amount of current to be paid for to be determined by watt hour meter installed by the company, the payment to be made on the fifteenth of each month following the month for which service is rendered.

Paragraph 10. It is hereby understood and agreed that neither the purpose nor intent, nor the obligation of this contract, if and why approved by the Public Servic Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is such as to impair or in any wise affect the exercise by said Commission of any of the powers vested in it by the Public Service Company Law approved July 26, 1913.

Paragraph 11. This agreement is to remain in force for a period of Five (5) years from the date that light is first furnished hereunder, such date to be endorsed hereon by the Secretary of said Borough and the proper officer of said Company.

Paragraph 12. It is mutually agreed between the said parties hereto that the within stipulations are binding insofar as the same are lawful and the parties are permitted by law to enter into the same, but if at any time any of the provisions of this contract shall be declared unlawful for any cause by any tribunal having jurisdiction of the subject matter such decision shall not invalidate the remaining portions of this contract but all the remaining provisions thereof shall be binding upon the said parties hereto the same as if such decision had not been made and neither of the said parties hereto shall have any redress against the other party to this contract for or on account of any provision that might be so declared invalid.

Paragraph 13. All agreements or portions of agreements inconsistent herewith are hereby cancelled, annuled and voided, in so far as the same conflict with the provisions hereof.

Section III. Be it further ordained and enacted that the President and Secretary of said Borough be and they are hereby authorized and directed to execute on behalf of said Borough said agreement with the said Company in form set forth in Section 2 of this ordinance.

That all ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same are hereby repealed in so far as the same conflict with the provisions hereof.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance and executed in triplicate this 19th day of January, A. D. 1915.

Frank Haywood.
President of Borough.

Attest:
Matthew Hall,
Secretary of Borough.

Examined and approved by me this 19th day of January A. D., 1915.

Matthew Lynn,
Burgess.

Attest:
Matthew Hall,
Secretary of Borough.

J-26-F-2-9

Juvenile Court Benefit

COYLE THEATRE

Wed. Afternoon, Feb. 3.

Attend this show and lend your aid to a Good Cause

PROGRAM FOR WEDNESDAY

"SHE WAS HIS MOTHER", with Violet Mersereau. Prize morality drama, in three parts.

"WHEN HIS LORDSHIP PROPOSED", comedy. Lee Moran. Miss Billie Rhodes and Jack Dillon.

"MUTUAL WEEKLY" latest War News.

"GIDDY, GAY and TICKLISH", Sid Chaplin.

"LOST RECEIPT", 2 reel Reliance. Eugene Rallette, Mr. Cosgrave Anna May Walthall.

Admission 10c

William Faversham

Famous Actor, says:

"A pipe of Tuxedo keeps me feeling physically fit and in good spirits, and, because it is mild and doesn't bite, it is pleasant to the throat and keeps my voice in good tone."

William Faversham

Tuxedo Keeps You Physically Fit

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Mother was fair, but she wished to be fairer still. Adorned by nature, she sought further beautification. Loveliness was her great goal.

Invited out to dinner, she stood before the mirror, and, having made her yellow locks a trifle yellower, she proceeded to apply the pencil to her eyebrows. This, it may be remarked, is an age of artificiality, and mother had reached this age.

The little daughter stood by and wondered.

Finally she said:

"Mother, what are you writing on your face for?"—The Popular Magazine.

Sample of Animal Instinct.

"When I was a barefoot lad," said Mr. Dustin Stax, "I had to spend a good deal of time minding the stock on father's farm. I'll never forget the day when father told me to take a rope and hold a couple of bull calves."

"What did they do?"

"They scorched my hands with the rope and turned around and stepped on me."

"Unruly dispositions?"

"No. Wonderful instinct. They recognized me at a glance as a small stockholder, and they knew what is generally done to small stockholders."

Insatiable.

George A. Fitzgibbon (Canon Hannay), the versatile Irish clergyman, player right and novelist, was talking to a New York reporter about the American business man.

"I'll tell you a story," he said, "which hits off the American business man well.

"A wife, still young, turned from the window of her sumptuous nineteen-story apartment and said to her husband:

"George ten years ago you promised me that when you made a million you'd retire from business, and then we'd live and enjoy life."

"Here she began to cry.

"You've got your million now!" she sobbed. "Why do you still keep on working?"

"George was horrified into instant speech.

"Ah, it is not for you—never—never!"

Cider for Sufferers From Gout.

The unfortunate individual, loving the good things of the table, yet afflicted with the gout, may now take heart of grace, for there is one refreshing beverage which will not be denied him. Cider. It has been discovered, is excellent for gout, and is a splendid tonic for everybody, because of the amount of tannin it contains.

Here is a recipe, handed down in a New England family, for old fashioned mulled cider:

Beat two eggs with two tablespoonfuls of sugar, and pour over the mixture a quart of freshly boiled cider, stirring constantly. Put the mixture on the stove and boil it again. Add some mint leaves, some thin slices of lemon and serve immediately in tall glasses, thick enough to stand the steaming beverage without cracking.

Cider jelly is a delicious dessert for autumn days.

Dissolve two ounces of gelatine in a little water, and when thoroughly dissolved add two and a half pints of cider and a pound of granulated sugar. Boil until it begins to thicken; then strain through cloth and pour into a jelly mold. Serve with whipped cream.

Custom of "Suttee" Survives.

An Indian "suttee" victim case, exemplifying the slowness of Indian customs in dying has been decided in the Allahabad high court. The widow of a Brahmin committed "suttee" on her husband's death, i. e., was burnt alive on the funeral pyre in the presence of the whole village. Five of the relatives were arrested for abetting her suicide, and were sentenced to imprisonment. They appealed to the high court, the defense being that the fire was lighted by supernatural means, the flames descending from heaven. The high court has now rejected the appeal and has increased the sentences in two of the cases. The present case is only the fourth recorded in the United Provinces and Bengal since 1829, when "suttee" was prohibited.

Sheepmen Fined.

Two sheepmen of Idaho were fined $100 each in the federal court for violating the government laws by moving a flock of sheep from one district to another without the required government inspection.

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